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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR MEETING WITH SECRETARY

1. NORWAY'S FINANCE MINISTER PER KLEPPE HAS EXPRESSED INTEREST IN MEETING PRIVATELY WITH SECRETARY SIMON DURING THE MEETING OF THE INTERIM COMMITTEE OF THE IMF IN PARIS ON JUNE 10 AND 11. KLEPPE REPRESENTS NORDIC GROUP ON COMMITTEE.

2. KLEPPE HAS NO SPECIAL SUBJECTS HE WISHES TO DISCUSS, BUT BELIEVES AN INFORMAL EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON INTERNATIONAL ISSUES WILL BE MUTUALLY BENEFICIAL. KLEPPE IS MOST INFLUENTIAL MEMBER OF PRIME MINISTER BRATTELI'S CABINET AND HAS BEEN THE PRINCIPAL ARCHITECT OF NORWAY'S OIL POLICY AS WELL AS ITS FINANCIAL AND ECONOMIC POLICY. GIVEN NORWAY'S GROWING IMPORTANCE AS AN OIL AND GAS PRODUCER AND THE EXPECTATION THAT IT WILL BECOME A MAJOR CAPITAL EXPORTER WITHIN A FEW YEARS, I BELIEVE IT WOULD BE USEFUL AND HELPFUL FOR SECRETARY SIMON TO MEET WITH HIM. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST IF MEETING CAN BE ARRANGED.

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